

The argument that since BellSouth is already somewhat like a monopoly, it should be permitted to become a complete monopoly is insane. Perhaps the overall market will not be affected by such a decision, but I certainly would be. I have been a loyal customer of my current ISP for several years and I'd like them to continue exist and serve my Internet needs. I do not look forward to the increased prices and the disruption of my Internet service that would probably result from the proposed deregulation.